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Applicants: Warren Williamson IV et al.  
Serial No.: CPA of Serial No. 09/306,448  
Filed: May 6, 1999  
Art Unit: 3738  
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IN A MINIMALLY INVASIVE MANNER  
Atty Docket: CVT-02

Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

July 25, 2001

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 3, 14, 15 and 20 as follows:

1. (Amended) In combination:

A) a multipart prosthesis which includes

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